



Docket No. 0229-262

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**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of :  
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Russell John MUMPER, et al. :  
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Serial No.: 09/812,884 : Group Art Unit: 1615  
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Filed: March 21, 2001 : Examiner:   
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For: MICROEMULSIONS AS PRECURSORS TO SOLID NANOPARTICLES

**RESPONSE TO NOTICE  
OF MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION**

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Sir:

In response to the Notice of Missing Parts of Application dated June 11, 2001, submitted herewith are the following documents for filing in the above-referenced application:

1. Declaration and Power of Attorney (which is in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63)
2. Statutory Basic filing fee of \$355.00
3. Late Filing Fee Surcharge of \$65.00
4. Additional Claims Fee of \$117.00
5. Assignment
6. Information Disclosure Statement and PTO-1449

Please charge Deposit Account No. 500417 in the amount of \$537.00. To the extent necessary, Applicants petition for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136. Please charge any

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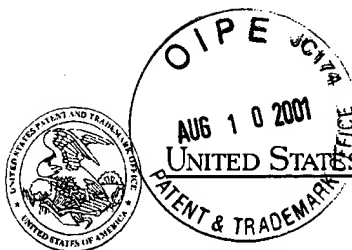
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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

*Filing Date Granted*

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.  
*Applicant must submit \$ 355 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).*
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$117.  
    ■ **\$117 for 13 total claims over 20.**
- The oath or declaration is missing.  
*A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.*
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 537.**

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*

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